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C O N F I D E N T I A L KABUL 1029

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: SNAR, AF, UR
SUBJECT: NARCOTICS COORDINATION WITH USSR

REF: (A) KABUL 0973; (B) MOSCOW 2197

1. SOVIET FIRST SECRETARY GAVRILOV ADVISED POLOFF FEBRUARY 13 THAT SOVIET EMBASSY KABUL PREFERRED NOT ENGAGE IN NARCOTICS COORDINATION LOCALLY CONCERNING SMUGGLING AND THAT ALL DISCUSSIONS ON NARCOTICS TRAFFICKING SHOULD BE HELD IN MOSCOW (REF A). IN VIEW THIS RESPONSE AND LACK OF ANY PAST INITIATIVES ON PART SOVEMBASSY HERE, CONCUR MOSCOW RECOMMENDATION HOLD OFF FURTHER DISCUSSIONS IN MOSCOW UNTIL RETURN OF BABAYAN AND SVIRIDOV FROM GENEVA.

2. AS BACKGROUND FOR FUTURE DISCUSSIONS IN MOSCOW, FOLLOWING ARE RESPONSES TO QUERIES RAISED PARA FOUR REF B:
A. KABUL DEA OFFICE HAS NO REASON BELIEVE AEROFLOT WAYBILLS RECEIVING ANY SPECIAL ATTENTION. IT SHOULD BE ASSUMED, HOWEVER, THEY ARE SUBJECT TO ROUTINE GOA SCRUTINY.
B. NO NAME TRACE DATA HAS BEEN EXCHANGED WITH SOVEMBASSY HERE
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DURING CURRENT SAIC'S TENURE, NOR DO KABUL DEA RECORDS REFLECT

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ANY SUCH PREVIOUS EXCHANGES.

C. KABUL DEA HAS NOT IDENTIFIED TO SOVEMBASSY ANY SUSPECT SHIPMENTS WITH REQUEST THAT THEY BE INVESTIGATED.

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